

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Rural Affairs and Renewable Energy

Assembly Bill 72

Relating to: the definition of biodiesel fuel and the labeling, advertising, and promoting of biodiesel fuel and biodiesel fuel blends for sale.

By Representatives Ott, Nerison, Montgomery, Freese, Gronemus, Hahn, Ballweg, Hines, Loeffelholz, Petrowski, Musser, Towns, Ainsworth, Albers, Bies, Krawczyk, Molepske, Kestell, Nelson, Vrakas, Townsend, Lehman and Davis; cosponsored by Senators Cowles, Harsdorf, Kapanke, Brown, Lassa, Miller, Olsen, Risser and Wirch.

February 03, 2005 Referred to Committee on Rural Affairs and Renewable Energy.

March 24, 2005 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (8) Representatives Hahn, M. Williams, Nerison,
Freese, Albers, Ballweg, Vruwink and
Benedict.

Absent: (1) Representative Schneider.

Appearances For

- Al Ott, Forest Junction — Representative, Wisconsin State Assembly
- Ron Kuehn, Madison — Wisconsin Soybean Growers
- Jamie Derr, Marshall — Nation Biodiesel Board

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- George Klaetsch, Madison — Alliant Energy
- Erin Roth, Madison — American Petroleum Institute
- Robert Derr, Marshall — Wisconsin Soybean Assn
- Sabrina Gentile, Madison — Wisconsin Farm Bureau
- Chet Gerlach, Madison — Wisconsin Ethanol Producers Assn.

Registrations Against

- None.

March 24, 2005 **EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (8) Representatives Hahn, M. Williams, Nerison,
Freese, Albers, Ballweg, Vruwink and
Benedict.
Absent: (1) Representative Schneider.

Moved by Representative Freese, seconded by Representative
Albers that **Assembly Amendment 1** be recommended for
introduction and adoption.

Ayes: (8) Representatives Hahn, M. Williams, Nerison,
Freese, Albers, Ballweg, Vruwink and
Benedict.
Noes: (0) None.
Absent: (1) Representative Schneider.

INTRODUCTION AND ADOPTION OF ASSEMBLY
AMENDMENT 1 RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Freese, seconded by Representative M.
Williams that **Assembly Bill 72** be recommended for passage as
amended.

Ayes: (8) Representatives Hahn, M. Williams, Nerison,
Freese, Albers, Ballweg, Vruwink and
Benedict.
Noes: (0) None.
Absent: (1) Representative Schneider.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 0

Wendy Minick
Committee Clerk